



STATE OF WISCONSIN Assembly Journal

Ninety-Fifth Regular Session

MONDAY, February 4, 2002

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date:

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Assembly substitute amendment 2 to **Assembly Bill 607** offered by Representatives Walker and Nass.

Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 651** offered by Representatives Berceau and Lippert.

Assembly amendment 1 to **Assembly Bill 725** offered by committee on **Health**.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

Assembly Resolution 50

Relating to: committee votes in the presence of the committee.

By Representatives Black, Kreuser and Bock.

To committee on **Assembly Organization**.

Assembly Bill 770

Relating to: fuel price gouging and providing a penalty.

By Representative Schneider.

To committee on **Small Business and Consumer Affairs**.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on **Health** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 725

Relating to: the practice of nurse-midwifery, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 14 – Representatives Underheim, Urban, Johnsrud, F. Lasee, Lippert, Walker, Wieckert, Wasserman, Carpenter, La Fave, Miller, Schooff, Colon and Shilling.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 14 – Representatives Underheim, Urban, Johnsrud, F. Lasee, Lippert, Walker, Wieckert, Wasserman, Carpenter, La Fave, Miller, Schooff, Colon and Shilling.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

GREGG UNDERHEIM

Chairperson

Committee on Health

The committee on **Judiciary** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 520

Relating to: effect of nonaction of senate on nominations by governor.

Assembly amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 8 – Representatives Gundrum, McCormick, Grothman, Montgomery, Starzyk, Hebl, Colon and Staskunas.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 5 – Representatives Gundrum, McCormick, Grothman, Montgomery and Starzyk.

Noes: 3 – Representatives Hebl, Colon and Staskunas.

To committee on **Rules**.

Assembly Bill 616

Relating to: prohibiting state agencies or authorities and local governmental units from discriminating against federally chartered corporations.

Passage:

Ayes: 7 – Representatives Gundrum, McCormick, Grothman, Montgomery, Starzyk, Hebl and Staskunas.

Noes: 1 – Representative Colon.

To committee on **Rules**.

MARK GUNDRUM

Chairperson

Committee on Judiciary

The committee on **State Affairs** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 350

Relating to: warnings for first violations of certain underage drinking prohibitions.

Passage:

Ayes: 5 – Representatives Skindrud, Krawczyk, Petrowski, Young and Travis.

Noes: 3 – Representatives Bies, M. Lehman and Wood.

To committee on **Rules**.

RICK SKINDRUD
Chairperson
Committee on State Affairs

The committee on **Ways and Means** reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 599

Relating to: the sale of tax delinquent real property.

Assembly substitute amendment 1 adoption:

Ayes: 12 – Representatives M. Lehman, Ainsworth, Jeskewitz, Olsen, Owens, Starzyk, Sykora, Ziegelbauer, Wood, Morris–Tatum, Turner and Pocan.

Noes: 0.

Passage as amended:

Ayes: 12 – Representatives M. Lehman, Ainsworth, Jeskewitz, Olsen, Owens, Starzyk, Sykora, Ziegelbauer, Wood, Morris–Tatum, Turner and Pocan.

Noes: 0.

To committee on **Rules**.

MICHAEL LEHMAN
Chairperson
Committee on Ways and Means

REFERENCE BUREAU CORRECTIONS

Assembly Bill 650

1. Page 75, line 14: delete “merger,” and substitute “merger.”

Assembly Bill 725

1. Page 5, line 11: delete “to” and substitute “tø”.

Assembly Bill 756

1. Page 1, line 2: delete the material beginning with “and the” and ending with “credit” on line 3.

SPEAKER’S APPOINTMENTS

January 29, 2002

The Honorable John Scocos
Assembly Chief Clerk
John.Scocos@legis.state.wi.us

Dear Chief Clerk:

As Assembly Speaker, I have appointed Representative Hoven to temporarily replace Representative Albers on the Joint Committee on Finance. This appointment is effective for the day of January 29, 2002.

If you have any questions, please contact Adam Peer in my office.

Sincerely,
SCOTT R. JENSEN
Assembly Speaker

COMMUNICATIONS

January 29, 2002

John Scocos
Assembly Chief Clerk
401 Main Street

Dear Chief Clerk Scocos:

I request my name be removed as a co-sponsor of Assembly Bill 518. I was included as an author in error.

Sincerely,
ROB KREIBICH
State Representative
93rd Assembly District

January 31, 2002

John A. Scocos
Assembly Chief Clerk
1 E. Main Suite 402
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Chief Clerk Scocos:

This letter is to respectfully request that I be added as a co-sponsor to the following Assembly Bills:

Assembly Bill 734 (Wieckert) relating to: creating an individual and corporate income tax exemption for interest on bonds or notes issued by the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority for purposes related to multifamily and elderly housing projects.

Assembly Bill 745 (Leibham) relating to: liability of a parent or guardian for the cost of an examination ordered to determine the competency to proceed of a juvenile who is alleged to have committed a delinquent act or to determine whether a juvenile is not responsible for a delinquent act by reason of mental disease or defect.

Assembly Bill 746 (McCormick) relating to: withholding sentences in cases involving operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated and eligibility for an occupational license authorizing the operation of motor vehicles.

Assembly Bill 747 (Gundrum) relating to: noncompliance with a municipal court order.

Assembly Bill 748 (Walker) relating to: qualifications of reserve judges.

Please advise me as to your action.

Thank you,
JEFF STONE
State Representative
82nd Assembly District

Clearinghouse Rule 00-164	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-004	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-045	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-048	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-055	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-068	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-072	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-073	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-074	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-078	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-079	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-089	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 01-097	effective	2-1-2002

REFERRAL OF AGENCY REPORTS

State of Wisconsin
Department of Administration
Madison

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John A. Scocos
Assembly Chief Clerk
1 E. Main Suite 402
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Chief Clerk Scocos:

This letter is to respectfully request that I be added as a co-sponsor to the following Assembly Bill:

Assembly Bill 766 (Kedzie) relating to: immunity for the use of solid waste for public projects.

Please advise me as to your action.

Thank you,
PEGGY ROSENZWEIG
State Senator
5th Senate District

State of Wisconsin
Revisor of Statutes Bureau
Madison

DATE: February 1, 2002
TO: John A. Scocos
Assembly Chief Clerk

Donald J. Schneider
Senate Chief Clerk

FROM: Gary L. Poulson
Deputy Revisor of Statutes

SUBJECT: Rules published in the January 31, 2002,
Wisconsin Administrative Register, No. 553.

The following rules have been published:

Clearinghouse Rule 99-071	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 99-158	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 00-140	effective	2-1-2002
Clearinghouse Rule 00-154	effective	2-1-2002

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

This report is transmitted as required by sec. 20.002(11)(f), Wis. Stats. (for distribution to the appropriate standing committees under sec. 13.172(3), Wis. Stats.), and confirms that the Department of Administration has found it necessary to exercise the "temporary reallocation of balances" authority provided by this section in order to meet payment responsibilities and cover resulting negative balances during the month of December 2001.

On December 3, 2001 the **General Fund** balance was -\$26.8 million. This shortfall continued until December 14, 2001 when the balance reached a positive \$43.1 million. During this period, the **General Fund** balance reached a low of -\$60.4 million on December 13, 2001. The shortfall was due to the difference in the timing of revenues and expenditures.

On December 10, 2001 the **Agricultural Producer Security Fund** balance was -\$109 thousand. This shortfall continued through December 31, 2001 when the balance reached -\$122 thousand. The shortfall was due to the initial start-up of the fund and a delay in the transfer of revenues into the fund. The negative fund cash balance has been resolved in January 2002.

The General Fund and Agricultural Producer Security Fund shortfalls were not in excess of the statutory interfund borrowing limitation and did not exceed the balances of the Funds available for interfund borrowing.

The distribution of interest earnings to investment pool participants is based on the average daily balance in the pool and each fund's share. Therefore, the monthly calculation by the State Controller's Office will automatically reflect the use of these temporary reallocations of balance authority.

Sincerely,
GEORGE LIGHTBOURN
Secretary

Referred to committee on **Ways and Means**.